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**PATENT APPLICATION****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: A REINFORCING HOLDER AGAINST VIBRATIONS

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:****Please enter the following amended claims:**

D1 4. (Amended) The reinforcing holder against vibrations according to claim 1, wherein the said plate is formed of high tension steel.

**Please add the following new claims:**

5. (New) The reinforcing holder against vibrations according to claim 2, wherein the said plate is formed of high tension steel.

D2 6. (New) The reinforcing holder against vibrations according to claim 3, wherein the said plate is formed of high tension steel.